

FCCLA Scholarships

Scholarships are available (depending on funding) for Montana high school seniors from affiliated FCCLA chapters. Applicants must show exceptional scholastic promise, be leaders in community and school activities, and have an interest in the field of family and consumer sciences and/or a related area.

1) The Northwestern Energy Foundation will sponsor a \$675 scholarship (pending approval) to a deserving applicant with a major or minor in Family and Consumer Sciences Education and/or a FCS-related field through the Montana University system.

Applications are to be submitted to the state FCCLA office by the deadline announced annually.

A scholarship committee from the Office of Public Instruction will select the winner from among eligible applicants.

Selection is made on the following basis:

- ☐ Scholastic standing (submit a transcript of high school credits).
- ☐ Participation and leadership in school and community activities.
- ☐ Membership and participation in an affiliated FCCLA chapter.
- ☐ Interest in Family and Consumer Sciences or a related area and a desire for an education in that field.
- ☐ Need for financial assistance.
- ☐ Neatness of application.

2) Alumni and Associates and the FCCLA Advisory Board are looking into pursuing funds for an Alumni and Associates scholarship. If this becomes available, information on the application form, criteria, and deadline date will be available on the Office of Public Instruction website on the FCCLA link.

Scholarship funds will be sent directly to the university after a copy of the thank you letter written to Northwestern Energy Foundation has been received by the state FCCLA office.

FCCLA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

DEADLINE: March 1, 2004

The Northwestern Energy Foundation Scholarship - \$675.00

Scholarship will be given to an outstanding FCCLA member who plans to major or minor in Family and Consumer Sciences and/or a FCS-related field in the Montana University system.

A committee will select a recipient using the following criteria:

- ☐ Scholastic standing (submit a transcript of high school credits).
- ☐ Participation and leadership in school and community activities.
- ☐ Submit a copy of the FCCLA affiliation form for the current year
- ☐ Interest in Family and Consumer Sciences and/or a related area and a desire for an education in that field.
- ☐ Need for financial assistance.
- ☐ Neatness of application.

NAME _____ SCHOOL NAME _____

HOME ADDRESS _____

PARENTS' OR GUARDIANS' NAMES AND OCCUPATIONS:

HOW MANY IN YOUR GRADUATING CLASS? _____ YOUR RANK IN CLASS? _____

You need to submit letters of recommendation. List below names and addresses of people you have requested to send us descriptions of your qualifications. Their recommendations should be sent directly to the state office. Be sure to tell them their letters need to be mailed by deadline to complete your application file.

1. **School Principal or Teacher** _____
2. **Someone Outside of School** _____
3. **FCCLA Adviser** _____
4. **Other** _____

RESPOND TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS AND STATEMENTS.
ATTACH YOUR RESPONSES TO THIS APPLICATION.

High School Involvement:

1. List your involvement in high school organizations (committees, offices, etc.)
2. List your local, district, and state activities in FCCLA.
3. Have you worked to help with your high school expenses? How?

Community Involvement:

List organizations and activities you have been active in outside of school.

Your Comments:

Why do you desire this scholarship? What is your interest in Family and Consumer Sciences? What are your plans for post-secondary education? What would you like to do after graduation?

RETURN TO: State FCCLA Office
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